

A map of the Middle East region with Iraq highlighted in yellow. The surrounding countries are shown in a light tan color, and the Persian Gulf is shown in light blue. The title text is overlaid on the yellow area of Iraq.

Iraq Weekly Status Report

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Highlights

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1.0 Transition to Security Self-Reliance

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2.0 Support a Free and Democratic Iraq

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3.0 Provide Essential Services

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4.0 Establish Foundation for a Strong Economy

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Highlights

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5.0 Promote the Rule of Law

- Under the auspices of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq (UNAMI), families of missing persons and other interest groups from all over Iraq, representatives of the Iraqi Ministry of Human Rights as well as some international organizations, met in Amman from September 25 – 29 to finalize preparations towards the establishment of a National Center for Missing and Disappeared Persons in Iraq.

6.0 Maintain International Engagement and Support

- On October 3, the United Nations Special Representative of the Secretary General (SRSG), Ashraf Qazi met with the Kuwaiti Minister of Interior and Deputy Prime Minister, Shaikh Nawaf Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah in Kuwait City.

7.0 Promote Strategic Communications

- A USAID Iraq Transition Initiative grant has assisted Iraqi filmmakers to produce a movie on ethnic tolerance and respect and help build the capacity of a local NGO supporting Iraqi film makers.



[1.0] Transition to Security Self-Reliance – Iraqi Security Forces

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Forward Operating Base Lima in Karbala Transferred to Iraqi Security Forces:

- US Forces transferred Forward Operating Base Lima to Iraqi Security Forces September 28 in Karbala. Iraqi Police, Army commanders and government representatives along with Lt. Col. James Oliver, commander of the 1st Battalion, 198th Armored Brigade, attended the ceremony transferring local security responsibilities to the Iraqi Police and the 4th Brigade, 8th Division, Iraqi Army.

US and Iraqi Troops Kill Zargawi's Top Aide in Baghdad:

- US and Iraqi troops have killed a man they believe was al-Qaeda's commander in Baghdad, the US military said on September 27. Apparently acting on a tip-off, a joint US-Iraqi raiding force shot and killed Abdallah Najim Abdallah Muhammad al-Juwairi, better known as Abu Azzam, after he resisted capture at an apartment building early on October 2.



[1.0] Transition to Security Self-Reliance – Iraqi Security Forces

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Ministry of Interior Forces

COMPONENT	TRAINED & EQUIPPED
POLICE	69,900
HIGHWAY PATROL	
OTHER MOI FORCES	35,600
TOTAL	105,500*

Ministry of Defense Forces

COMPONENT	OPERATIONAL
ARMY	90,200
AIR FORCE	200
NAVY	700
TOTAL	91,100**

Total Trained & Equipped ISF:
196,600

* Ministry of Interior Forces: Unauthorized absences personnel are included in these numbers

** Ministry of Defense Forces: Unauthorized absences personnel are not included in these numbers



[2.0] Support a Free and Democratic Iraq – **Developments**

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Elections Update:

- Preparations for Iraq's constitutional referendum on October 15 are largely complete and early indications on how the vote will proceed from a technical point of view are positive, the United Nations top electoral official Carina Perelli said October 4. "The Independent Electoral Commission of Iraq has put into place an effective operation to carry out the 15 October referendum," Perelli – Director of the UN Electoral Assistance Division – said. "Important work has been carried out by this national institution to ensure that Iraqis are both responsible for organizing the referendum as well as voting in it."
 - With UN technical and planning support, the Independent Electoral Commission of Iraq (IECI) has delivered almost 2.2 million tons of materials such as ballots, polling boxes and voter screens to governorate electoral hubs across the country for more than 15 million eligible Iraqis.
- To date, USAID partner the National Democratic Institute's Constitutional Awareness Program has succeeded in introducing the content of the constitution to approximately 58,000 individuals throughout Iraq. Since the launching of the program, the 250 partner NGOs were able to reach more than half of the 100,000 individuals they hoped to educate on the draft constitution prior to the Referendum.



[2.0] Support a Free and Democratic Iraq – **Developments**

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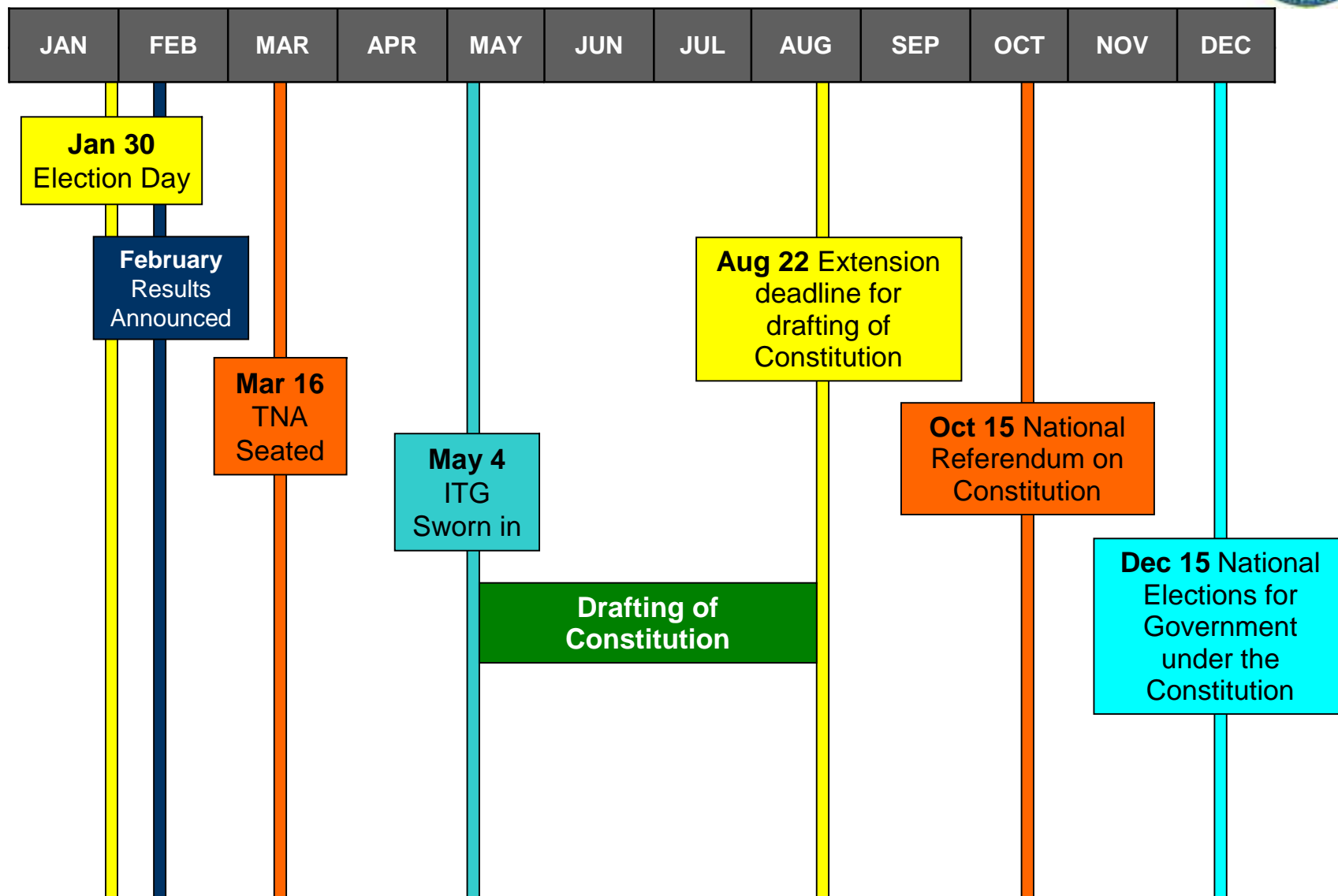
The Continuing Transitional Political Process:

Iraq's transitional political process is set down by the Transitional Administrative Law (TAL).

- The TNA and Iraqi Transitional Government (ITG) will continue to serve as Iraq's national legislature and executive, respectively, until the election of a new government.
- The draft Constitution will be presented to the Iraqi people for approval in a national referendum by October 15, 2005.
- If the draft constitution is approved in the referendum, a national election for the first government under the constitution is to be held by December 15. If the referendum rejects the draft constitution, a national election for a new TNA is to be held by December 15; this Assembly will have the responsibility to write a new draft constitution.



[2.0] Support a Free and Democratic Iraq – Electoral Process Timeline

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[2.0] Support a Free and Democratic Iraq - Iraqi Transitional Government

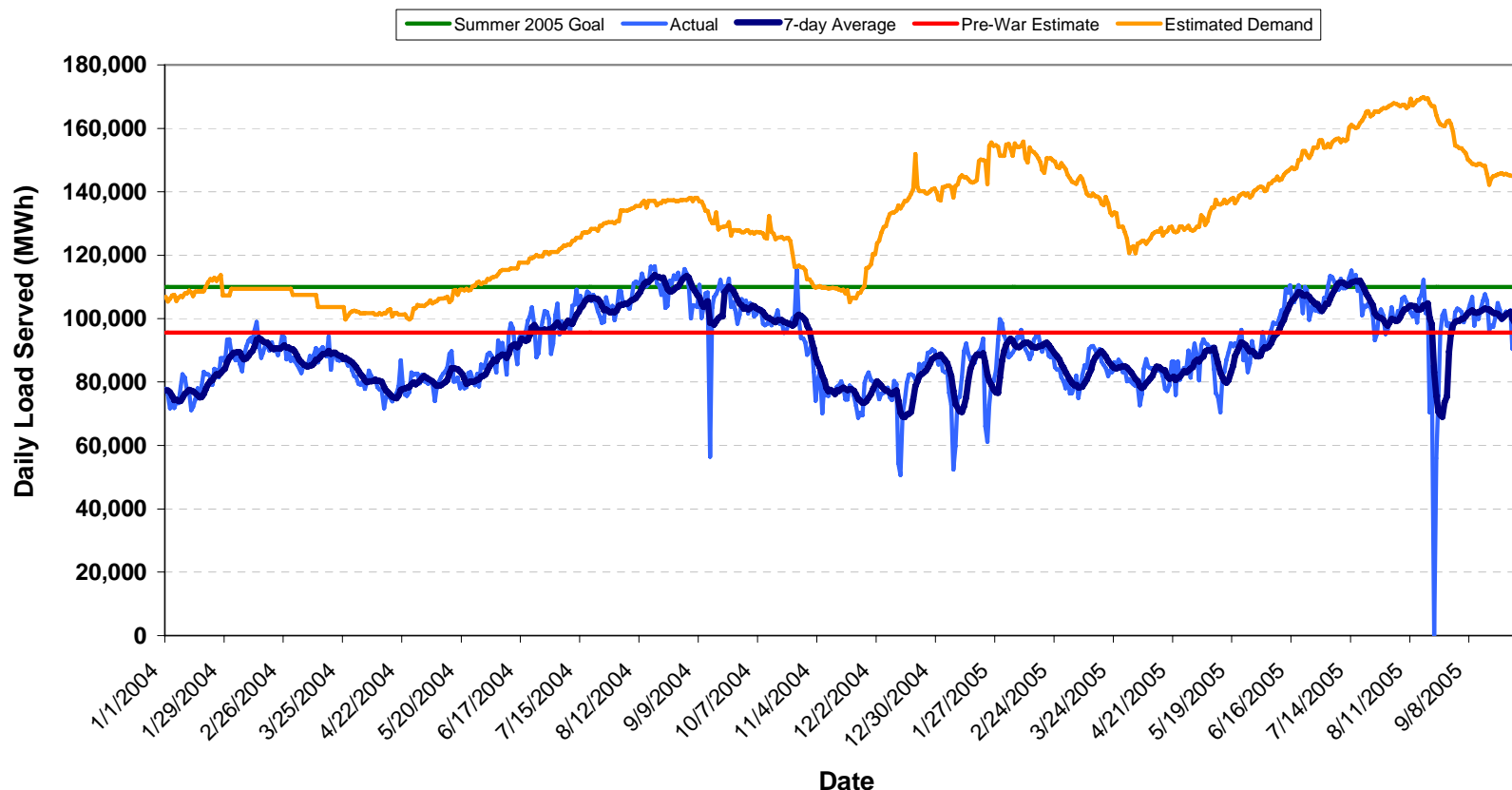
		Deputy President Sheikh Ghazi al-Yawr	President Jalal Talabani	Deputy President 'Adil 'Abd al-Mahdi	
			Prime Minister Ibrahim al-Ja'fari		
Deputy Prime Minister Rawsh Shaways	Deputy Prime Minister 'Abd Mutlak al-Juburi			Deputy Prime Minister Ahmad al-Chalabi	Deputy Prime Minister Vacant
Minister of Agriculture Ali al-Bahadili	Minister of Communications Juwan Fu'ad Ma'sum (F)	Minister of Culture Nuri al-Rawi	Minister of Defense Sa'dun al-Dulaymi	Minister of Displacement & Migration Suhayla al-Kinani (F)	Minister of Electricity Muhsin Shallash
Minister of Education Abdul Mun'im al-Falah Hasan	Minister of Environment Narmin 'Uthman (F)	Minister of Finance 'Ali 'Allawi	Minister of Foreign Affairs Hoshiyar Zebari	Minister of Health Abd al-Muttalib al-Rubay'i	Minister of Higher Education Sami al-Muzaffar
Minister of Human Rights Acting, Narmin Uthman (F)	Minister of Industry & Minerals Usama al-Najafi	Minister of Interior Bayan Jabr	Minister of Justice 'Abd al-Husayn Shandal	Minister of Housing & Construction Jasim Ja'far	Minister of Labor & Social Affairs Idris Hadi
Minister of Oil Ibrahim Bahr al-'Ulum	Minister of Planning Barham Salih	Minister of Trade 'Abd al-Basit Mawlut	Minister of Science & Technology Basima Butrus (F)	Minister of Municipalities & Public Works Nasreen Berwari (F)	Minister of Transportation Salam al-Maliki
Minister of Water Resources 'Abd al-Latif Rashid	Minister of Youth & Sports Talib Aziz al-Zaini	Minister of State for Civil Society 'Ala' abib Kazim	Minister of State for National Assembly Affairs Safa' al-Din al-Safi	Minister of State for National Security Affairs 'Abd al-Karim al-'Anzi	
		Minister of State for Provinces Sa'd al-Hardan	Minister of State for Tourism and Antiquities Hashim al-Hashimi	Minister of State for Women's Affairs Azhar al-Shaykhli (F)	

(F) = Female



[3.0] Provide Essential Services – Electricity Overview

Daily Electricity Supplied and Estimated Demand in Iraq Since January 2004



- Average daily electricity service decreased in the last week (September 27- October 3) to 93,500 MWh.
- Baghdad average available electricity decreased to 7.6 hours with insurgent attacks on transmission infrastructure. The national average was 12.6 hours per day.
- Demand held steady at 145,000 MWh.



[3.0] Provide Essential Services – **Water and Sanitation**

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Water and Sanitation:

- The Project and Contracting Office (PCO) has completed 92 water treatment projects to date and has 76 more underway. Under the Accelerated Iraq Reconstruction Program (AIRP), 51 water treatment projects have been completed there are a further four under construction
 - The majority of these projects are awarded directly to local contractors and local water authorities.
- PCO has completed 43 percent of the Erbil City-Ifraz Main Water Supply Project. The water treatment plant will supply 66,000 cubic meters of treated water per day, which will benefit 330,000 Iraqis.
- PCO is continuing its Water Sector Women's Initiative, which is a strong effort to provide Iraqi women with equal opportunities for jobs, career building opportunities and small business development related to the water sector reconstruction efforts. To date, over 7,300 hours of training have been held for Iraqi women and 20 of the top-ranked women students will go through a train-the-trainer program.



[3.0] Provide Essential Services – **Health Care and Telecommunications**

Health Care:

- Construction is ongoing for 142 new primary health care (PHC) facilities across Iraq. Under the AIRP, an additional two PHCs are under construction and nine have been completed.
- Japan extended a grassroots human security grant aid to cover four projects totaling about \$2,410,000 to the Governorate of Al-Muthanna in the southern part of Iraq in order to contribute to the improvement of the medical care system and the restoration of its examination and treatment functions.
 - The projects includes improvements to the Chest Diseases and anti-Tuberculosis Center, the Allergy and Asthma Center, the Special Center for Dental Care, and the Medical Instruments for Central Health Laboratory.
 - Each clinic to receive the aid is the only specialized medical institution that provides services in treating tuberculosis, asthma and allergies and dentistry, and this assistance is to help restore the specialized treatment for these diseases.

Telecommunications:

- Construction began on the Consolidated Fiber Network project, which will provide communications for the Ministry of Electricity's remote control system.
- Mobile telephone subscribers have reached four million.



[3.0] Provide Essential Services – **Transportation and Education**

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Transportation:

- Negotiations continue between the Iraqi government and the security contractor at Baghdad airport. If negotiations are unsuccessful and the contractor ceases operations, MNF-I will close the airport to civilian operations.
- The Ministry of Transportation has granted preliminary approval to participate in a USTDA-sponsored civil orientation visit to the US in November 2005.
- PCO paid over \$80,000 to the Iraqi Railroad (IRR) in September for transportation of reconstruction supplies. USG use of the IRR has significantly reduced transportation costs.

Education:

- PCO has completed 719 schools renovations to date and a further 75 are under construction. Under the AIRP, an additional 24 school renovations have been completed.



[4.0] Establish Foundation for a Strong Economy – Oil Update and Job Creation

Oil Update:

- Crude oil prices in world markets for the week ending September 30 closed with the following prices:
 - Basra Light at \$55.95/barrel – Dated Brent at \$62.67/barrel
 - WTI Cushing at \$66.05/barrel – Oman/Dubai at \$56.41/barrel
 - Kirkuk Crude at \$57.21barrel

Employment Update:

- The following chart shows the number of Iraqis employed by USG-administered projects:

Employing Organization	Number of Iraqis Working Last Week	Number of Iraqis Working This Week	% Change on Week
PCO (Project and Contracting Office)	31,772	31,993	0.7%
USAID	54,475	54,275	-0.4%
AIRP (Accelerated Iraqi Reconstruction Program)	1,673	1,673	0.0%
MILCON (Military Construction)	333	341	2.4%
CERP* (Commanders' Emergency Response Program)	23,706	23,706	0.0%
MNSTC-I	12,137	14,395	18.6%
IRRF NON-CONSTRUCTION	8,947	8,947	0.0%
GRAND TOTAL	133,043	135,330	1.7%

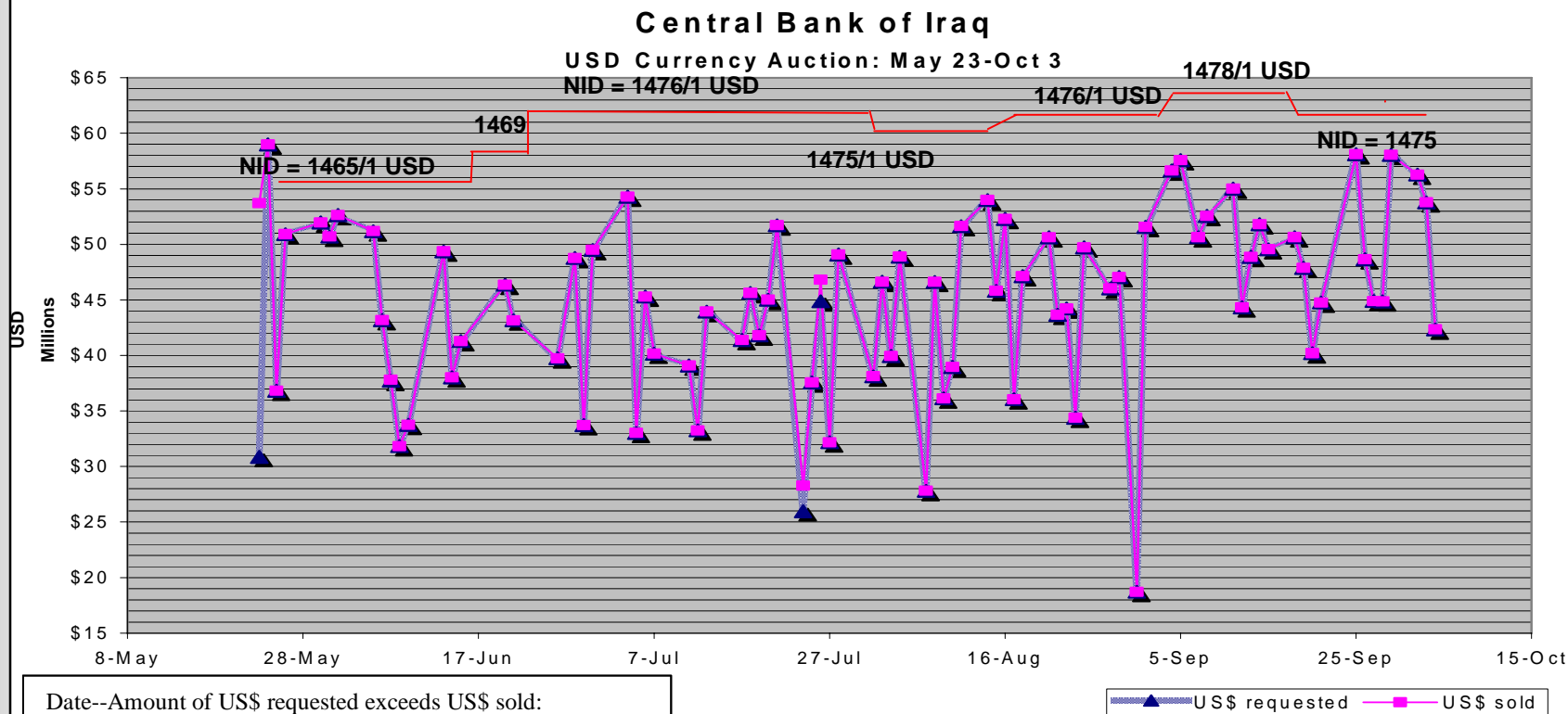
*CERP numbers are from the latest GRD Situation Report



[4.0] Establish Foundation for a Strong Economy - Banking Sector

Central Bank's USD Currency Auction:

- The following table shows volume sold/requested and exchange rates for USD in the Iraqi currency auction from May 23 through October 3.
- The exchange rate remained stable the week ending September 30 at 1,475 dinars per USD. The daily average amount traded was \$50,919,000.



Date--Amount of US\$ requested exceeds US\$ sold:

5/5- \$240,000	5/12- \$100,000	6/7- \$100,000
5/9- \$340,000	5/16- \$34,388,000	7/24- \$2,325,000
5/10- \$530,000	5/17- \$160,000	7/26- \$1,935,000
5/11- \$200,000	5/23- \$22,836,000	



[4.0] Establish Foundation for a Strong Economy

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Iraqi Stock Exchange (ISX):

- On October 3, the ISX trading volume was 358.2 million shares with a trading value of NID 1.6 billion (\$1,095,497).
 - The banking sector comprised the largest volume and value of trading, with four banks accounting for a trading volume of 316 million shares and a trading value of NID 1.4 billion (\$971,585).
 - The industry sector comprised the second largest volume of trading. Twelve companies in this sector accounted for a trading volume of 36.8 million shares with a trading volume of NID 141.7 million (\$96,062).

Malta Cancels 100 Percent of Debt Owed to It by Iraq:

- Malta has agreed to cancel 100 percent of the \$8 million debt owed by Iraq. This agreement makes Malta the second bilateral creditor, after the United States, to cancel all of the Iraq's debt, going beyond the 80 percent debt forgiveness agreement reached by the Paris Club of sovereign creditors last November.
- The 2004 Paris agreement calls for the 80 percent cancellation of the aggregate claims of each Paris Club creditor country against Iraq to be phased in over three years. The total amount of claims against Iraq has been estimated at more than \$125 billion.



[4.0] Establish Foundation for a Strong Economy

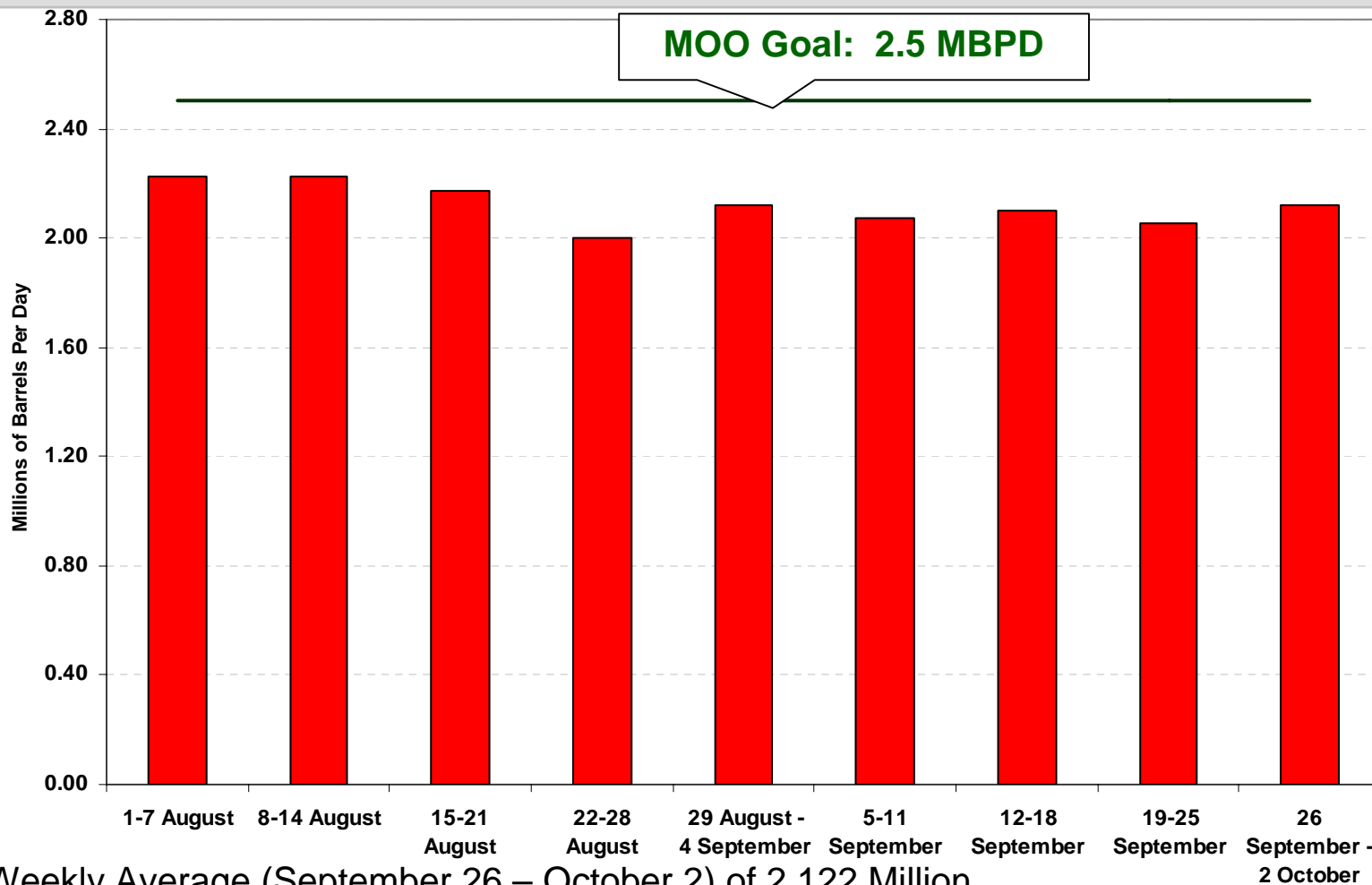
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Poll Shows Iraqi Businesses Remain Optimistic about Economy:

- The survey released on September 28 by the Center for International Private Enterprise (CIPE) and conducted by Zogby International, included interviews with more than 600 Iraqi business owners and managers spread across five cities: Baghdad, Hillah, Basrah, Erbil, and Kirkuk. Polling revealed that 77 percent of Iraqi businesses anticipate growth in the national economy over the next two years and 69 percent of respondents describe themselves as being "optimistic" about Iraq's general economic future.
- In each of the cities of Baghdad, Hillah, and Erbil, women were employed by at least 60 percent of the businesses polled. While more than half of the firms polled in either Basrah or Kirkuk did not employ women, at least 40 percent of the firms did.
- Despite the many challenges they face, 54 percent of Iraqi businesses expect increased sales in the next six months and 38 percent are expecting employment to rise. Similarly, 45 percent of Iraqi businesses believe their profits will grow during this same period. By contrast, only a handful of Iraqi businesses expect to see a decline either in sales, employment, or profits. The remaining Iraqi businesses are expecting no change in these areas.



[4.0] Establish Foundations for a Strong Economy – Crude Oil Production



- Weekly Average (September 26 – October 2) of 2.122 Million Barrels Per Day (MBPD)

- Pre-War Peak: 2.5 MBPD in Mar 2003

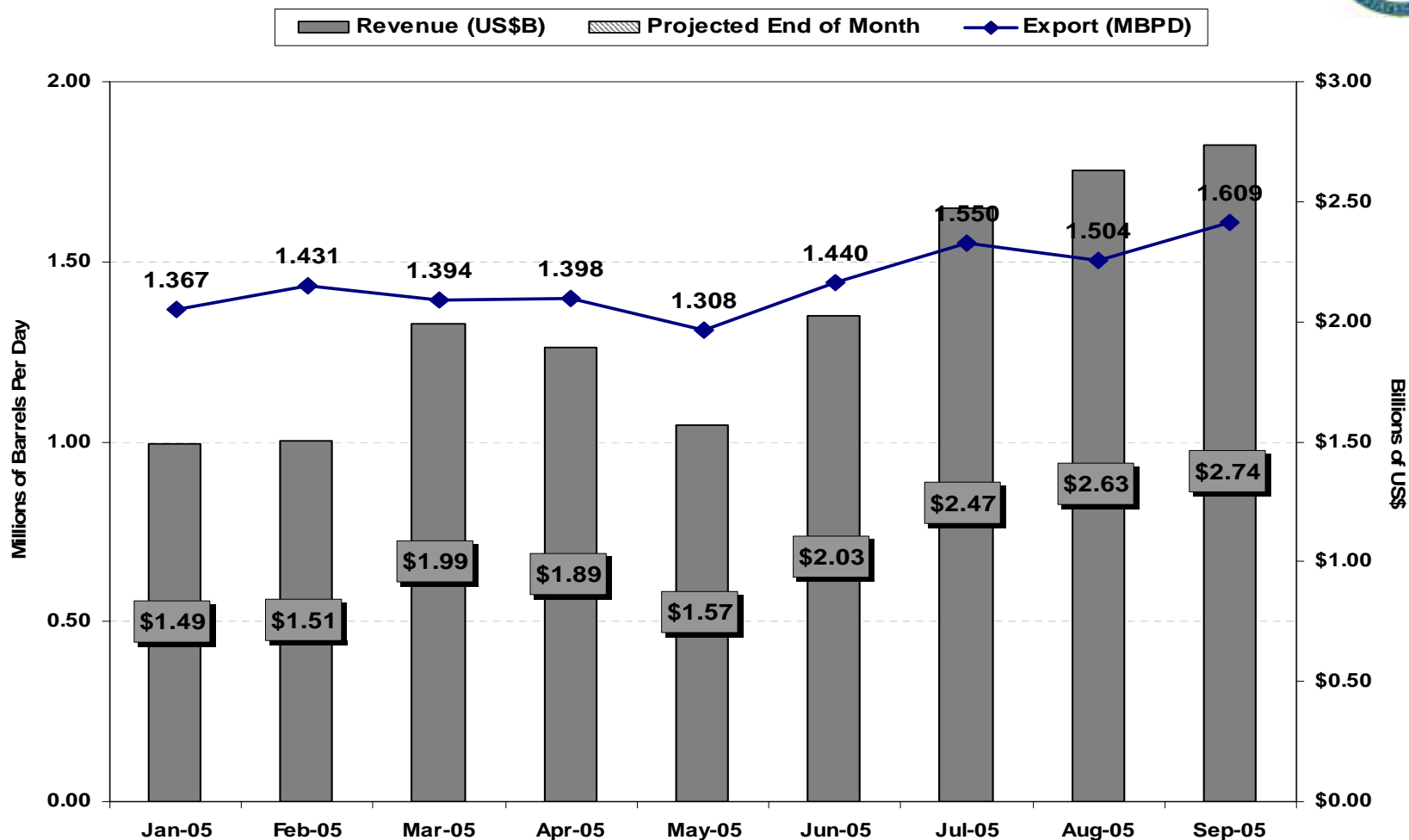
- Post-War Peak: 2.67 MBPD

Production Target



[4.0] Establish Foundations for a Strong Economy – Crude Oil Export

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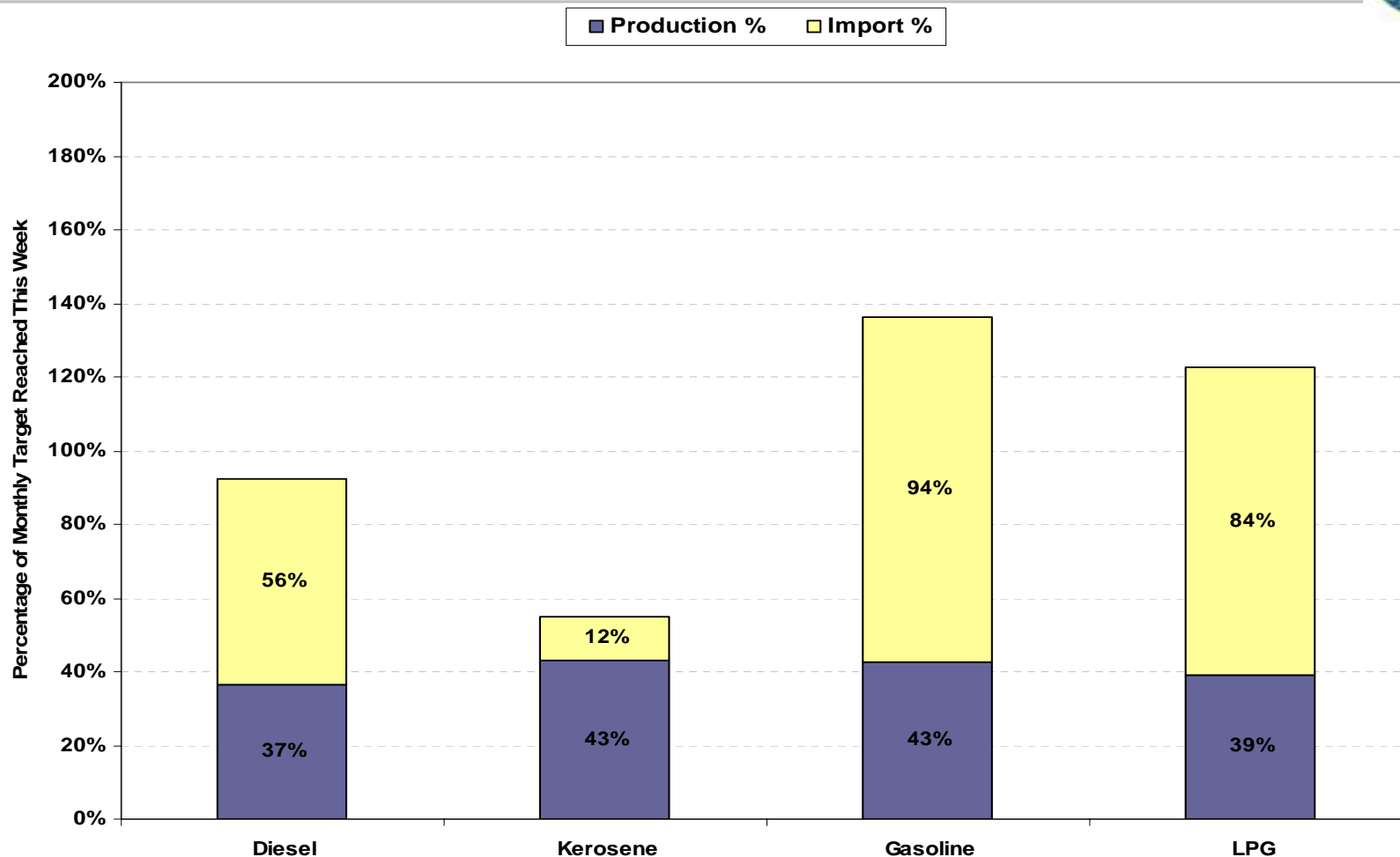


- 2003 Revenue: \$5,076.6 M
- 2004 Revenue: \$17,012.3 M
- 2005 Revenue: \$18,313.2 M (cumulative for 2005)



[4.0] Establish Foundations for a Strong Economy – Refined Products

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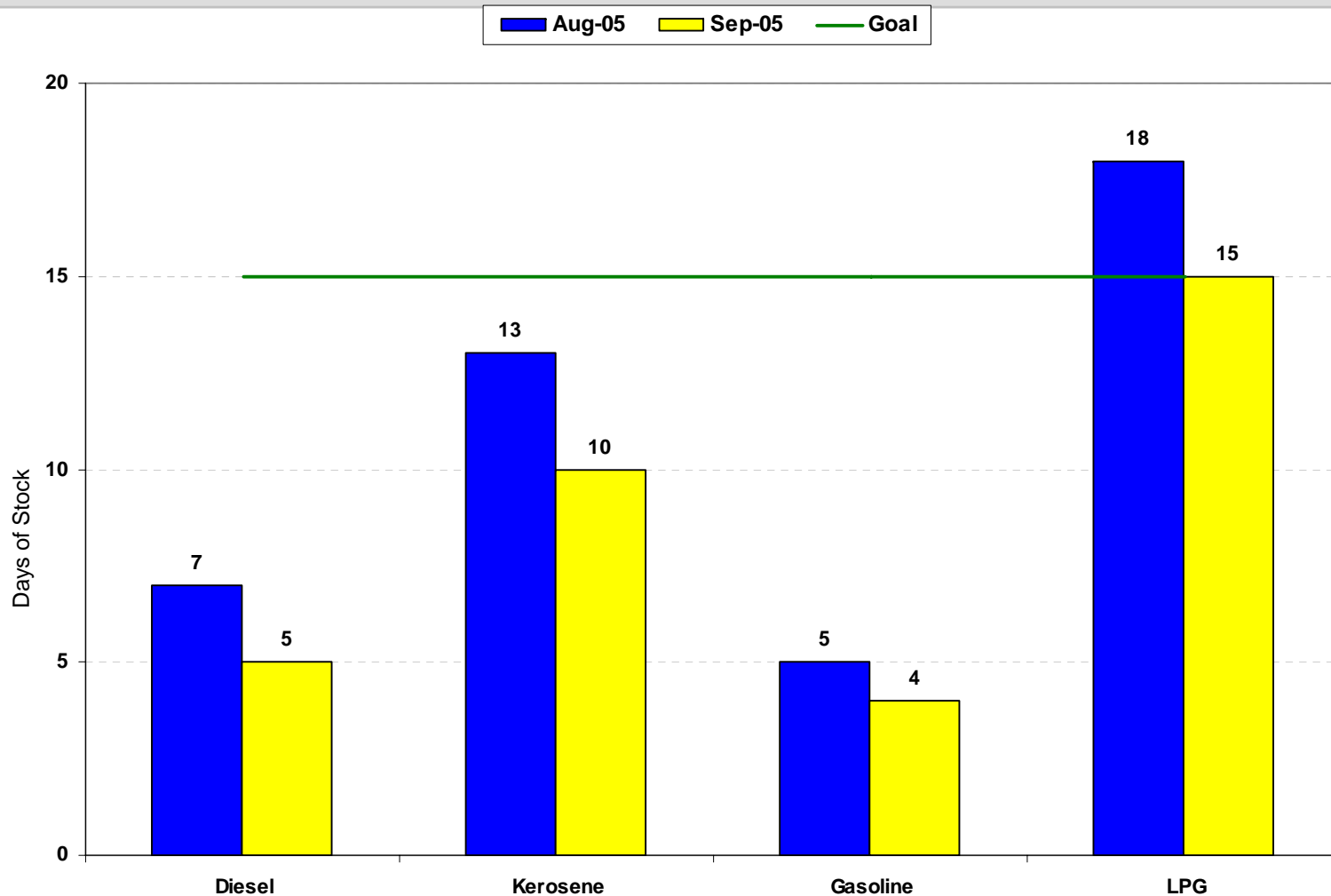


Note: This chart represents the average percentage of daily target reached for the week of September 26 – October 2

- Diesel: 16.6 Millions of Liters (ML) of 18 ML
- Kerosene: 4.5 ML of 8.0 ML
- Gasoline: 24.5 ML of 18 ML
- LPG: 5,272 tons of 4,300 tons



[4.0] Establish Foundations for a Strong Economy – National Stock Levels



- The goal is to have on hand 15 days supply of all refined products, calculated on the basis of maximum consumption over the year and not adjusted for seasonal variation. The numbers given above are monthly averages.



[4.0] Establish Foundation for a Strong Economy – Financials from Iraq Relief and Reconstruction Fund (IRRF) 1 and IRRF 2

Data as of October 5, 2005

\$Millions	Apportioned		Committed			Obligated			Disbursed		
Sector	2207 Report	Apportion	Last Week	Current	Change	Last Week	Current	Change	Last Week	Current	Change
Security and Law Enforcement	5017.6	5017.6	4,963.4	4,958.6	(4.86)	4,666.3	4,668.2	1.92	3,625.5	3,698.2	72.7
Electricity Sector	4317.8	4067.2	3,889.3	3,885.7	(3.59)	2,695.0	2,718.0	22.99	1,635.8	1,646.3	10.5
Oil Infrastructure	1723.0	1723.0	1,592.4	1,611.7	19.26	1,236.0	1,214.8	(21.13)	520.4	534.7	14.3
Justice, Public Safety and Civil Society	1247.2	1247.2	1,165.8	1,171.4	5.59	1,051.5	1,056.2	4.69	569.2	576.2	7.0
Democracy	941.3	941.3	929.3	931.8	2.50	895.2	931.6	36.41	598.1	566.2	(31.8)
Education, Refugees, Human Rights, Governance	363.0	363.0	335.4	335.5	0.14	319.6	331.7	12.11	146.0	146.3	0.3
Roads, Bridges and Construction	333.7	333.7	276.4	276.6	0.19	215.7	216.8	1.06	139.0	140.2	1.2
Health Care	786.0	786.0	778.9	779.0	0.06	617.1	617.7	0.53	241.5	241.6	0.1
Transportation and Communications	508.5	508.5	496.8	495.8	(0.98)	424.2	423.4	(0.81)	171.9	175.3	3.4
Water Resources and Sanitation	2146.6	1819.1	1,812.2	1,812.2	0.06	1,496.7	1,497.4	0.72	390.1	394.6	4.5
Private Sector Development	840.3	840.3	794.0	795.1	1.10	773.9	783.1	9.23	509.3	513.8	4.5
Admin Expense (USAID, STATE)	214.0	214.0	93.7	121.4	27.63	93.7	121.4	27.63	51.8	51.5	(0.3)
TOTAL	18439.0	17860.9	17,127.7	17,174.8	47.10	14,485.0	14,580.4	95.36	8,598.5	8,685.0	86.5
IRRF 2 Construction			10,044.8	10,063.3	18.47	7,887.6	7,912.2	24.50	4,180.4	4,245.5	65.1
IRRF 2 Non-Construction			6,153.6	6,179.7	26.13	5,702.2	5,736.7	34.44	3,820.1	3,873.2	53.1
IRRF 2 Democracy			929.3	931.8	2.50	895.2	931.6	36.41	598.1	566.2	(31.8)
IRRF 1 Subtotal	2473.3	2473.3	2,473.3	2,473.30	0.00	2,473.3	2,473.3	0.00	2,406.6	2,406.6	0.0
Grand Total IRRF 1 & 2	20912.3	20334.2	19,601.0	19,648.1	47.10	16,958.3	17,053.7	95.36	11,005.1	11,091.6	86.5



[5.0] Promote the Rule of Law – Iraqi Judicial System

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A New Center to Identify the Missing Persons to be Established in Iraq:

- Under the auspices of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq (UNAMI), families of missing persons and other interest groups from all over Iraq, representatives of the Iraqi Ministry of Human Rights from Baghdad, Erbil and Basra as well as some international organizations, met in Amman from September 25 – 29 in order to finalize preparations towards the establishment of a National Center for Missing and Disappeared Persons in Iraq. The purpose of the Center is to support the survivors of all the persons who have involuntarily disappeared. Its core activity will consist in identifying the missing and disappeared persons that will assist survivors to resume a normal life.



[6.0] Maintain Int'l Engagement & Support – **Developments**

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Interagency Delegation Visits Region:

- On October 1, an interagency delegation led by Ambassador James Jeffrey, the Secretary's Senior Advisor and Coordinator for Iraq, began a nine-day visit to the region which includes stops in Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, United Arab Emirates (UAE), Qatar and Jordan. The delegation will share USG thinking on Iraq and solicit the views, advice and support of Arab leaders. Ambassador Zalmay Khalilzad complemented the delegation's efforts with visits to Saudi Arabia, Jordan and UAE on October 1 –3.

UN's Qazi Meets Kuwaiti Leader:

- On October 3, the United Nations Special Representative of the Secretary General (SRSG), Ashraf Qazi met with the Kuwaiti Minister of Interior and Deputy Prime Minister, Shaikh Nawaf Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah in Kuwait City. The SRSG briefed the Kuwaiti Deputy Prime Minister on the latest developments in Iraq and United Nation's role in promoting dialogue and reconciliation among Iraqis of different political and religious persuasions.



[6.0] Maintain Int'l Engagement & Support – **Developments**

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Arab League to Iraq:

- On October 4, the Arab League announced that it will send General Secretary Amr Moussa to Iraq. State Department Spokesman Sean McCormack said "...it's a positive development where the Arab League has decided that they are going to send a diplomatic mission to Baghdad and to show their support for the Iraqi people. We would certainly encourage the Arab League as well as its member-states to think about other steps that they might take to support the Iraqi people. But this is a good first step."



[6.0] Maintain Int'l Engagement & Support – Contributors to Iraqi Stability Operations

Data as of September 28, 2005

29 Multi-National Forces – Iraq (MNF-I) Contributors (in addition to US)

Albania	El Salvador	Lithuania	Portugal
Armenia	Estonia	Macedonia	Romania
Australia	Georgia	Moldova	Singapore
Azerbaijan	Italy	Mongolia	Slovakia
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Japan	Netherlands	South Korea
Bulgaria	Kazakhstan	Norway	Ukraine
Czech Republic	Latvia	Poland	UK
Denmark			

TOTAL ~ 22,000 Forces

*Note: Fiji participating as a part of the UN mission in Iraq.

30 Countries and NATO
(including US)
Support Iraqi Stability Operations



[7.0] Promote Strategic Communications – **Developments**

Strategic Communications:

- Filmmakers, supported through a USAID Iraq Transition Initiative (ITI) grant, have produced a movie on ethnic tolerance and respect. The movie tells the story of two families, Arab and Kurdish, finding a way to overcome generations of mutual violence and live peacefully as neighbors. The ITI grant provided a camera, sound system, and computer equipment. The film has been distributed on compact disc to media outlets throughout the country, as well as to human rights and civil society organizations. In addition to supporting the production of the film, the grant has helped build the capacity of a local NGO supporting Iraqi film makers and the development of an independent media in Iraq.
 - The grant further provided lodging for filmmakers and judges participating in the first open film exhibition and competition held in Iraq. This international film festival had over 50 entries from all over the world. In addition to film showings, 140 films produced by Iraqis competed for prize money and recognition. The winning films will be shown in cinemas across Iraq and internationally.



[7.0] Promote Strategic Communications – **Developments**

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Strategic Communications:

- The United Nations Secretary-General, Kofi Annan, issued a press release on September 30 conveying his concern about the heightened violence in Iraq, which is overwhelmingly aimed at the civilian population. He strongly condemned the attacks in Balad and Hillah, which appear to have been coordinated so as to kill and injure as many innocent civilians as possible. The Secretary-General believed that those who refuse to participate in the political process should not, by acts of intimidation and violence, deprive others of their right to do so. He urged Iraqis of all persuasions not to be deterred by such violence and to express themselves peacefully through the democratic process, starting with the forthcoming national referendum on the draft permanent constitution.
- A new poll by the International Republican Institute found that 85 percent of Iraqis plan to vote in the October 15 referendum on Iraq's new constitution. The poll, conducted between September 6-12 among 2,728 Iraqis, found majorities of Iraqis with positive views about the constitution, which has also provoked angry demonstrations, especially by Sunni Arabs. The poll found that 58 percent of Iraqis believed the constitution affirms the property identity of Iraq, and 56 percent believe it maintains Iraq's unity. The poll did not include any interviews in Anbar Province, the large and mostly Sunni area west of Baghdad where much of Iraq's violence is concentrated.



Iraq Weekly Status – General Information

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- ReliefWeb.Int: United Nations News Service, "Iraq: UN reports preparations largely complete for constitutional referendum." 04 Oct 2005.
- NDI Weekly Update, October 3

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– Transitional Administrative Law for Iraq

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- POC Krista Donaldson, (202) 647-5213
- The chart shows average daily power production in megawatt hours (MWH). 120,000 MWH goal equates to 20 hours at 6000 MW average supplied load or 24 hours at 5000 MW average supply load. Currently supplies are not much improved over last year when judged by hours of power, but this is due in part to an influx of new appliances. This has dramatically altered demand and diluted the effect of increased generation capacity on actual results.

Slide 12:

- Information regarding the status of water treatment projects comes from the PCO weekly update, 3 October 2005.



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